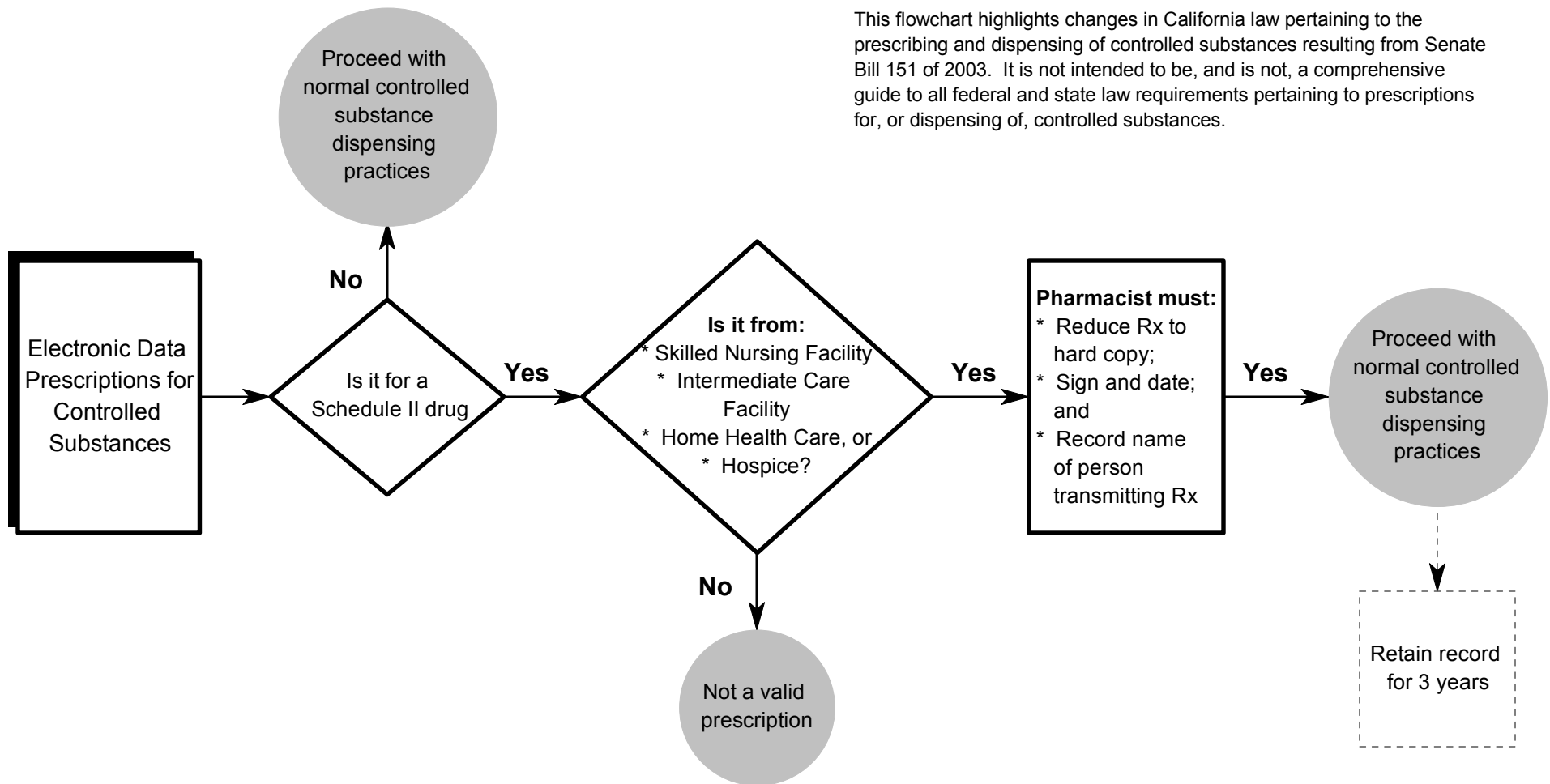


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## **Electronic Data Prescriptions for Controlled Substances: Basic Elements of Dispensing**

This flowchart highlights changes in California law pertaining to the prescribing and dispensing of controlled substances resulting from Senate Bill 151 of 2003. It is not intended to be, and is not, a comprehensive guide to all federal and state law requirements pertaining to prescriptions for, or dispensing of, controlled substances.



**NOTE:** Oral and fax transmitted controlled substance prescriptions are displayed in a separate flowchart.